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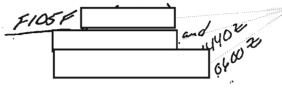
XXHH ENP33-TZ34137 2/06/VCK-E/R224-67PRELIMINARY AIR ACTIVTY REPORT FOR 04 OCT 1967

A SECOND UNIDENTIFIED BY, ALSO SUBORDINATE TO THESOTUTH WEST HANDI REGT, WAS ALSO ACTIVE AGAINST THISUNIDENTIFIED TARGET. SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING HIS LAUNCHACTIVITY AGAINST RANDOM AND SAPPHIRE FLIGHTS, AT \$3482THIS BY REPORTED PICKING UP A HIGH SPEED TARGET TO THESOUTHEAST A T A RANGE OF 198 NMS. THE REGT MAS APPARENTLYALREADY AWARE OF THE TARGET AND ADVISED THAT THE ALTITUDEWAS 73,748 FEEL. THE BN REPORTED THAT IT WAS PREPARED TOSTRIKE AT THE TARGET. LATER, AT 3539Z, SAM BN V14915WAS REFLECTED REPORTINGA HIGH ALTITUDE TARGET AT 75,388 FEET. IT IS UNKNOWN IFTHERE IS ANY ASSOCIATEION BETWEEN THIS TARGET AND THE OPEREPORTED EARLIER BY BNS OF THE SOUTH WERST HANDI REGT. 3. BETWEEN 3524 AND \$5262 THE HAIPHONG REGT CTLRHAS REFLECTED REPORTING TO AN UNIKOPTIFIED SAM AUTHORITYABOUT AN EARLIER ACTIVITY IPPUNICH A SAM BN, BELEIVEDTO HAVE BEEN VI982, REPORTEDLY FIRED TWO MISSILESAND DESTROED ONE ACFT. NO TIME OF LAUNCH MAS REPORTED AN NOT CORRELATIONCAN BE MADE. DURING THE BURBEZ HOUR USN STRIKE ACFTATTACKED THE KIEH AN HIMAY BRIDGE AND SIGHTED EIGHTSAMS FROM THE HAIPHONG AREA. NO ACFT HERE REPORTEDDAMAGED OR DOWN. LATER, DURING THE LATTER PORTION OF THE 8487Z, HOUR, USE NAVY ACFT STRUCK THE BUMUC BARRACKS/STORAGE AREA (21-23-47H 187-81-43E)NO SAMS WERE SIGHTED NOR ACFT DAMAGED.4. BETWEEN \$845 AND \$847Z, 22 ACFT FROM THE USSINTRPID ATTACKED THE LOT DONG POL TRANSHIPPMENT POINTAIND THE KIEU BAI HINAY BRIDGE. BETWEEN \$843 AND \$845ZPILOTS SIGHTED FOUR MISSILES AND ONE AGC (ACTIVE BOYZME) MAS LOST TO 85 MM GUNFIRE. BETWEEN \$848 AND #85#Z SAM BN V14#1> WAS REFLECTED REPORTING ACTIVITY TO THE HAIPHONG REGT CTLR. AT #84#ZTHE SOUNDS OF A MISSILE LAUNCH COULD BE HEARD AND THESPEAKER REPORTED, FIRST MISSILE DESTROYED THE TARGET. THE SOUND OF MISSILE LAUNCHS HERE AGAIN HEARD AT #843AND #844Z. AT #846Z, THE FIRING BN RPORTED, ONEACET BURST INTO FLAMES JUST NOTW...SHOT IT DOWNFLYING INTO US. AT #85#Z, THE SPEAKER SAID, TWOACET ARE IN THE OCEAN; THERE ARE TWO PARACHUTESGO AND INVESTIGATE...THO PERSONS ARE THERE...GO"GETTHE PERSONS. PRF SYNCHRONIZED AND GUIDANCE SIGNALSHERE DETECTED AT #84# AND #844Z PROBABLY CORRELATINGUITH THESE THO _LAUNCHS. BETHEEN 8952 AND 1821Z, THE BN HAS AGAIN REFLECTEDREPORTING POST LAUNCH INFORMATION ON THESE LAUNCHES. VERY LITTLE INFORMATION WAS REPORTED OTHER THAT THEHEAD ON METHOD OF AIMING MAS EMPLOYED. THE SPEAKERSAID THAT FOR THE FIRST LAUNCH AT #848Z THE TARGETBUST INTO FLAMES AND FOR THE SECOND LAUNCH AT #844ZTHDTARGET MAS DESTROYED. HOWEVER, AT HUPEYZ, THE BNNAS AGAIN NOTED REPORTING ON THIS ACTIVITY, THIS TIMESAYING THAT, AT #848Z ONE.A4 BURST INTO FLAMES...THERE WERE THO (ACFT)...STRUCK ONLY ONE ACFT, ONE ACFT BURST INTO FLAMES AND FLEW INTO THEGROUND...I COULDN'T STRIKE THE OTHER ONE, IT FLEW OUT BETHEEN \$841 AND \$859Z, THE HAIPHONG REGT CTLRHAS NOTED IN CONTACT WITH THREE

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OTHER SUBORDINATE SAMBNS. AT 8845Z THECTLR TOLD ONE BN THAT, THEY FIREDAND ONE ACFT 15 BURNING. THE CONTROLLERINDICATED THAT ONE ACFT MAS ON FIRE IN THE VICOF 28-57N 186-58E (5. ". 38) AND A SECOND ACFT HADGONE DOWN IN THE VIC OF 28-57N 186-43E (5 MM_CEP) ANALYSIS OF FILLIL DURING THIS TIME FRAME THREATESTHAT AS MANY AS FOUR PHERE ACTIVE. OPPRATIONAL REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE ACC THAT INASDOMNED WAS HIT IN THE VIC OF 28-53N 186-39E ATAPPROXIMATELY 8848Z AND WAS DOWN AT 28-53N 186-42E.THIS IS PROBABLY THE ACCT THAT WAS REFERED TO BYVISAL AND THE REGT CTLR. PILOTS REPORTED SIGHTINGTHREE MISSILES FIRED FROM WHAPPO, COMINT CONFIRMMEDLOCATION OF V1421) BETWHEN 8843 AND 8845Z. IRON HAMBSUPPORT ACT. TIMEDIATLEY ATTACKED THIS SITE HINTOUR SHRIKES, THO 582 POUND BOIRS, FOUR 752 POUNDBOIRS AND 12 AIR TO SURFACE ROCKETS. THE PILOTSREPORTED THAT THE SITE APPEARED TO BE BURNING ONEGRESS. SUBSEQUENT COMINT FROM THIS SN SUGGESTSTHAT A GENERATOR MAY HAVE BEEN DAMAGED. ON A ONESIDED CONVERSATION, THE REGT CIL MAS NOTED ACKNOW-LEDGING A REPORT FROM THE SAM BN AT 182Z, ASFOLLOWS: NOT BACK TO WORK YET... BUT IT DOD NOTBURN THERE, CORRECT: BUTH THE GENERATOR DID NOT CATCHON FIRE... THEN IT IS FINISHED THERE YET:... THENHOM HOW MANY GENERATORS ARE NOT GOOD... ONE:... IS ITREPATED THERE YET:... THENHOM HOW MANY GENERATORS ARE NOT GOOD... ONE:... IS ITREPATED THERE YET:... LATER THE NAME OF ASM BN MAID AS ASM BN MAID AS A SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TRACKING DATA VERY TENTATIVELY LOCATESA SAM BN MAY DATE TO STREAM THE SOUND OF AMISSILE AND NOT STREAM THE FOLLOWING THIS THE FOLLOWING THIS THE FOLLOWING THIS THE FOLLOWING THE TARGET HAS DETECTED AND MIND AND REPLA HADBEEN ENCOUNTERED. XXHH 897 INIMIM